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FROM	Chief of Base, Berlin	DATE 19 November 1958	
SUBJECT	Operational/CADORY DILINEN Renewal Request	RE: "43-3" - (CHECK "X" ONE)	
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REFERENCE(S)

EGEW-10913, 19 September 1958

1. We have reviewed the DILINEN Renewal Request forwarded as an Attachment to Reference and have found it to be a generally accurate and true representation of the current status of the project. We noted, however, inaccuracies in paragraph 4 (1) of the Renewal Request, which should be corrected.

2. Paragraph 4 (1) states that [] are the current co-principal agents. We presume that this conclusion may have been drawn from paragraph 3-d of BRLN-7389, 19 April 1958, wherein we noted that with the termination of [] would assume direction of the organization and that he would be assisted in this task by [] Although we did meet with [] once or twice in May, he was not afforded a leadership position within the organization because of our belief that he was not well suited for such a role. Thus, his position within the organization, i.e., head of the central files section, remained unchanged.

3. At the DILINEN organizational membership meeting held in May, [] were elected first and second chairmen respectively. With their election, they assumed responsibility for DILINEN's so-called overt activities, e.g., propaganda production, search service and card files activities, etc., while [] continued to handle the remaining 'covert' matters, e.g., the balloon and mail distribution groups, the phase-out of the co-workers, etc. With [] withdrawal from the organization in mid-September, [] assumed responsibility for all DILINEN matters. Generally speaking, they have done a good job of holding the organization together, although, in the case officer's opinion, neither one of them has the ability or the drive to keep the organization going at full steam. Although we are acutely aware of a current lack of dynamic leadership within DILINEN, we don't believe that current circumstances dictate that a new leader should be sought, particularly since complete termination of the project appears to be forthcoming.

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